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Page 2: About Agencies Scheduled for Study

Q1

Please share any comments, suggestions or concerns you may have about these agencies, including any observations about the way the agency shares information online. Please note your responses will be posted online and may be included in a Committee report.

Corrections, Department of

There needs to be drastic change within SCDC. These prisons are being run by such limited staff, they are uncaring and unethical in their treatment of SC inmates. They can't feed them properly, they won't allow them to clean either themselves or their areas. It's dirty and full of bugs. The food they do give isn't fit for human consumption let alone to fill them up. Covid is taking over our prisons and guys are screaming out for help but those screams fall on deaf ears and these guys are testing positive for covid and some are loosing their lives. SCDC has an obligation to keep the prisons and inmates safe at all cost. They are responsible to feed them portions of food that are not only large enough to nourish them but food that is fit to eat. Some go weeks without showers because there aren't enough CO's to watch over so they lock them in a cell and forget about them. There are guys already sentenced who are being held at county jails unable to move into SCDC intake and earn upfront credits that would shorten their time of incarceration. I made a phone call my self to Mr. Sterling and he had absolutely no answers. SCDC needs to step up and do right ethically by these men and women. Either let these guys parole or release them. Allow county inmates already sentenced to remain in county jails and give them their good time credits and work credits so they can be released as if they actually are in a prison. SCDC standup before you loose more CO's and inmates. These inmates weren't all given a life sentence but the system at the moment is doing exactly that. We pay tax dollars that fund SCDC and each inmate and I'm highly angry my dollars aren't being used to do what's right. Step up...

Page 3: There are three questions seeking general information.

Q2

55-64 years old

What is your age?

Q3

South Carolina resident and do not fall into any of the categories below

Which best describes your current role?

Q4

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In which county do you live?
